

Mayor Michael E. Cherepko

500 Fifth Avenue, Ste. 201 McKeesport, PA 15132 412-675-5020

Monday, September 12, 2016

Dear Community Member,

The Salute to Santa parade and children's party have established a longstanding tradition in McKeesport. Please accept this invitation to participate in the city's 52nd annual holiday event on Saturday, November 19, 2016. Line-up is scheduled for 10 a.m., and the parade kicks off at 11.

Each year, thousands of spectators from across the Mon Valley line Fifth Avenue in downtown McKeesport to watch a procession of holiday floats, marching bands, dance troupes, fire trucks, and more.

Participation is open to community groups, student organizations, churches, businesses and local officials. We welcome anyone to reserve a spot to ride a vehicle or march in the parade. Participants often choose to toss individually wrapped candies to spectators along the parade route.

Groups also have an opportunity to nominate a young woman affiliated with their organization to be the Salute to Santa princess and/or queen. A princess nominee may be between the ages of 13-15, and a queen nominee may be between the ages of 16-18.

A parade application is enclosed. Completed applications must be returned by Wednesday, November 9 at 4 p.m. They may be scanned and emailed to jen.vertullo@mckeesport-pa.gov or mailed to the attention of Jennifer Vertullo at McKeesport City Hall, 500 Fifth Avenue, McKeesport, PA, 15132.

Thank you in advance for your support of this timeless community event.

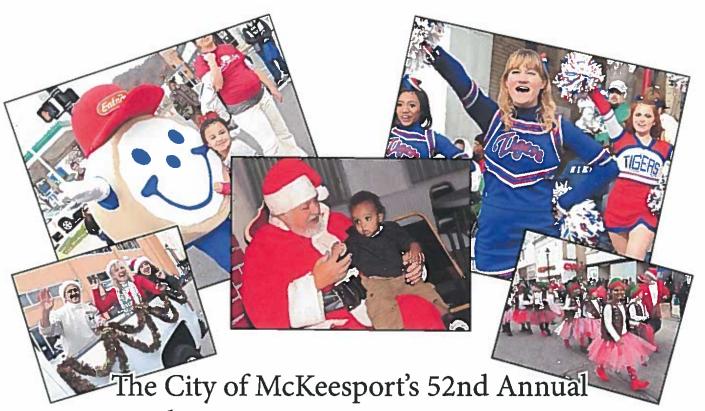
Sincerely,

Michael E. Cherepko, Mayor



Parade Application Princess/Queen Nomination

Organization:	
Address:	
Contact Person:	Telephone:
COMPETITION CATEGORY	
() Best Band & Support Unit	() Best Cheerleading Unit () Best Float
() Best Fire Truck/Ambulance	() Best Antique/Classic Car
() 2016 Salute to Santa queen	() 2016 Salute to Santa princess
FLOAT CATEGORY	
Float Name:	
Sponsoring Organization:	
QUEEN/PRINCESS NOMINAT	<u> FION</u>
Sponsoring Organization:	
Name of Entrant:	
Address of Entrant:	5
Age: School Attended:	
Extracurricular Activities:	
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Community Service:	
Future Plans:	



Salute to Santa Parade

Saturday, November 19 at 11 a.m. Fifth Avenue, McKeesport



For more information, or to register your group, call 412-675-5020, ext. 605, or email jen.vertullo@mckeesport-pa.gov